



Response under 37 CFR 1.116 - Expedited Procedure
Examining Group 1791

PATENT
ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. 0047/028001

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Robert DWILINSKI et al. Art Unit: 1791
Application No.: 10/538,407 Examiner: Malekzadeh, S.
Title: SUBSTRATE FOR EPITAXY AND A METHOD OF PREPARING THE SAME
International Application No.: PCT/JP2003/015906
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Commissioner for Patents
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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 18, 2007,
applicants hereby submit the enclosed papers including a Response
under 37 CFR 1.116.

The required fees are calculated below:

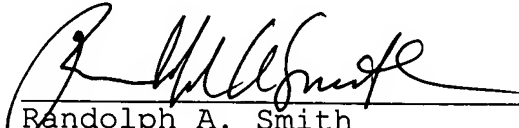
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TOTAL FEE DUE: \$0.00

THE COMMISSIONER IS AUTHORIZED TO CHARGE THIS FEE AND ANY OTHER
FEES WHICH MAY BE REQUIRED OR CREDIT ANY OVERPAYMENT TO DEPOSIT
ACCOUNT NO. 19-2586, REFERENCING ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. 0047/028001.
THIS IS A GENERAL AUTHORIZATION EXCLUDING ONLY PAYMENT OF THE
ISSUE FEE.

Respectfully submitted,

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Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.